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FM AMCONSUL MILAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3377

INFO AMCONSUL GENOA

AMCONSUL NAPLES

AMEMBASSY ROME

AMCONSUL TURIN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, IT

SUBJECT: PAN AMERICAN FIRE

1. FIRE WHICH DESTROYED PAN AM OFFICES MILAN SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT THIS MORNING WAS DELIBERATELY SET. POLICE SOURCES HAVE NOW INDICATED TO CONGEN THAT EARLIER REPORTS OF ELECTRICAL SHORT CIRCUITS ARE WRONG AND THAT GASOLINE WAS POURED UNDER DOOR AND IGNITED.

2. ACCORDING TO THE PRESS, AN ORGANIZATION CALLING ITSELF QUOTE SOLIDARIETA INTERNAZIONALE MILITANTE (SIM) UNQUOTE IS CLAIMING CREDIT FOR ACT. MILAN LEGAL AUTHORITIES KNOW NOTHING OF SUCH A GROUP. SIM ANNOUNCEMENT REPORTEDLY STATED A COMMANDO OF SIM SET FIRE TO THE PAA OFFICES TO PROTEST AGAINST USA.

3. THERE HAVE BEEN DEMONSTRATIONS IN MILAN IN SYMPATHY WITH ALLENDE'S DEATH. CONGEN SEEKING FURTHER DETAILS.

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4. WHILE NO THREATS RECEIVED, CONSULATE TAKING ADDED PRE-
CAUTIONS AGAINST POSSIBLE SIMILAR ATTACK. FINA

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